

common seal; and the same to break, alter and renew at CHAP. 129.
pleasure; and generally to do every other act or thing
necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act
and promote the object and design of said corporation.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the secretary of the said association, to keep a book containing a copy of this act, and of such constitution and bye-laws, as be established for the government of said association, and that all persons; who may be elected members thereof, shall upon signing their names thereto; and upon payment of such fees, charges and premiums, as may be demanded by the proper officers of the said corporation, be constituted members of the said association, and as such shall be bound by all the rules and regulations thereof, as contained in this act, and in the constitution and bye-laws of the said association.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That any member of the said association, who has not previously received the benefit assured to each member thereof, shall have full power to withdraw therefrom at any time, by making application in writing to the proper officers; who shall within one month thereafter, or so soon as the necessary sum is in the treasury, return to the member so applying the amount of his deposits, after deducting therefrom the entrance fee, the amount of fines imposed upon him by reason of the non-fulfilment of his duties to the time of making such application, any arrearages of assessments that he may then owe to the association of which he is a member, and a fair proportional part of the losses to that time sustained by the association, and of the expenses incurred in the management of the affairs of the association. Withdrawal provided for

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That it shall and may be lawful for the directors of the association, to require and receive from any member, applying for benefits according to the provisions of the constitution of such association, security in the form of a mortgage or other evidence of debt, at their option, for the true and faithful discharge of his duties as benefitted member; and upon refusal or neglect on the part of a member so applying, to provide and give such security, to withhold from him all benefits until such security is given, or until he becomes thereto entitled, by the provisions of such constitution, without giving security. Security to be given

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That all persons at any time members of said association, and who may not have withdrawn therefrom in accordance with the third Responsibility of members